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DEMO CONTY COMMITTEE HOLDS VICTORY DINNER AT PITTSBURG

Last Thursday night, December 1st, the dining room of the Liberty Hotel in Pittsburg was the gala scene of a dinner given by the members of the Contra Costa County Democratic Central Committee in honor of the Victory of the Democratic slate of candidates at the recent election.

Committeemen and Democratic leaders from all over the county were present and the occasion was made the jump-off for two year's of concerted effort on the part of the committee in preparation for the Presidential campaign of 1940.

Master of ceremonies at the dinner was committeeman Michael V. Mucahy, who with his fellow committeemen, Salvatore J. Lucido and Charles Mortimore was in charge of the arrangements Speaker of the evening was Attorney John J. Grennan, of Oakland, an outstanding Democrat and professor of law at U. C.

County Chairman John L. Garaventa gave the keynote speech in which he described the plan of action of the county committee and the complete harmony that exists on the committee at present.

Nearly all of the committeemen were present and were hard from as well as other outstanding Democratic leaders.

Telegram From Mr. Farley

Congratulations of Hon. James A. Farley, postmaster general and national Democrat'l chairman, were sent to the victory dinner in the following telegram which was read by chairman Garaventa:

John L. Garaventa
Liberty Hotel
Pittsburg, California

Will you pleas extend my heartiest congratulations to the members of your organization who will assemble at your vic-dinner tonight. I greatly appreciate the assistance they gave during the last campaign and hope that sometime in the not too far distant future I shall have an opportunity to visit your county and greet the Democratic workers. I know they will continue their interest and efforts in behalf of the Democratic party stop my personal regards to you unquote.

JAMES A. FARLEY

We hear that Mr. Geo. Cushing may leave us in the near future to go to San Joaquin Cohnty.

Meaning of Name Cora

Cora, although used as an individual name, is really a short form of Corinna, of Greek origin, meaning "a maiden." Corinna was a noted Greek lyric poetess who five times scored over the great Pindar in poetry contests. The usual modern form of the name is Corinne, which happens also to be the name of a kind of humming bird.

In the WEEK'S NEWS

WOMEN STAGE PROTEST OF GERMANY—View of the demonstration staged in front of the German Consulate, New York City, by the Progressive Women's Council against Anti-Jewish measures in the Third Reich.

BUENOS AIRES WELCOMED with fiesta honors the 33 Brazil's inaugural voyage of the United States Maritime Commission's new "Good Neighbor Fleet."

DIRECTORS MEET IN KITCHEN—Directors of the Standard Company of Stamford, Conn., practice what they preach, holding lunches in company kitchen and eating food cooked on recipes perfected there. At November meeting, scrambled eggs uniquely cooked with baking powder signalized elevation of Wm. L. Sweet (right) to Chairmanship of Board.

A SECRETARY FOR SANTA—At this time of the year, Mary Christmas, a Reno, Nevada housewife, receives thousands of letters from children in all parts of the country who think she is the wife of Santa Claus. She reads all their letters and answers them.

NEW TRAILER WRINKLE—A trailer for bicycles is the latest. Bob McCulley of Long Beach, California is seen inside his bike trailer. It is eight feet long, 38 inches high, 36 inches wide, weighs 125 pounds and has a built-in bed.

TAILORED HAT—For street wear this hat of black velvet is trimmed with wrapped bands of fuchsia and jewel-ar's blue. It is worn with a slim, bellless, black broadcloth coat banded in velvet.

KATHERINE GARVIN, LES BUTLER MARRIED TODAY IN SAN JOSE

Miss Garvin, one of the best beloved young ladies who have grown up at the Point will become the bride of Mr. Butler today at 4 o'clock in the Garden City of California.

She will be attired in a green boucle suit with brown fox fur and brown accessories. Mrs. Howard Knight, sister-in-law, will attend as matron of honor, and Mr. Ken Carey will serve Butler as best man.

After the ceremony a dinner will be attended by the bridal party in the Hotel Vendome.

Miss Garvin is a graduate of a Berkeley college and Mr. Butler was educated in Fresno his former home.

After a few days spent in Fresno, Los Angeles and other southern cities, the happy couple will make their home in the Palm Apartments at 24th and Rheems, Richmond.

Popcorn in Aztec Times

Popcorn is a peculiarly American crop. In early Spanish writings reference is made to a ritual of the Aztecs in which "one hour before dawn there sallied forth all these maidens, toasted and popped, the grains of which resembled orange blossoms, and looped on their necks thick festoons of the same which passed under the left arm."

Advertise in the Progress

Stone Age Safety-Pins

Many housewives have blessed that simple yet ingenious boon, the common safety-pin. It was invented early in the last century. But was it? Actually, says London Tit-Bits magazine, it was re-invented—for research in the earthworks of prehistoric peoples has brought to light the modern safety-pin whose usefulness had to disappear for thousands of years before the same idea occurred again to another human brain.

Earth Mostly of Eight Elements

Eight elements—oxygen, silicon, aluminum, iron, calcium, sodium, potassium and magnesium—make up more than 98 per cent of the lithosphere, as the rocky crust of the earth down to a depth of 10 miles is called, says the American Chemical society.

ASSEMBLYMAN SAWALLISCH WILL HEAD ROOSEVELT BIRTHDAY BALL

Assemblyman Harold F. Sawallisch today has been selected as Chairman of the Committee for the celebration of the President's birthday for Contra Costa County. The announcement was made at the Assemblyman's veritication of his appointment by George W. Baker, Jr. of San Francisco, Director of Organization for the State of California.

While a President's Birthday Ball will be a feature of the Celebration in several Contra Costa cities, the "March of Dimes," which is in fact the selling of buttons for ten cents each, will be a feature throughout the county as well as the state. In such manner, each and every individual is given an opportunity to contribute to the aid of infantile paralysis victims. "We are setting the goal at Five Thousand Dollars for Contra Costa County," said Assemblyman Sawallisch. "And I know that each and every public spirited citizen will join in the promotion of this great humanitarian project."

FIGHT OF EAST BAY CITIES FOR LOW COMMUTE FARE IS BEING SUCCESSFUL

Culminating factor in the year-old battle for low commute rates between Richmond and other East Bay Cities and San Francisco was the presentation last Tuesday at Sacramento, before the California Toll Bridge Authority, of arguments lead by City Attorney Thomas M. Carlson in favor of the lower fares.

The Toll Bridge Authority has handed down a decision by which busses as well as trains will go over the bridge toll free, that is, only 2 1-2 cents per passenger will be charged. So it is reasonable to expect that within a short time low commute fares, such as $6.50 per month or such, will be the order of the day.

Attorney Carlson and other leaders of the community's fight are to be complimented.

Supplies World With Nickel

The Sudbury district in the province of Ontario, Canada, produces virtually the whole of the world's supply of nickel, a metal that is an essential component of all steels used for armaments, says Collier's Weekly.

'How Do You Do?' Old

It isn't known definitely how the salutation "How do you do?" originated. According to Murray's dictionary an older form of this expression was "How do you?" This authority traces the inquiry back to 1563.

The Work of Poets

All good poets, epic as well as lyric, compose their beautiful poems not as works of art, but because they are inspired and possessed.—Plato.

Weekly News Review

New Czech Crisis Threatened by Pole-Hungarian Aggression

by Joseph W. La Bine

Foreign

After Czechoslovakia made peace with Germany by ceding Sudeten border areas to the Reich, Poland and Hungary jumped in with similar claims. Poland was pacified when war-lost Teschen was returned. To Hungary went the southern portion of Slovakia and a small corner of Ruthenia *(see striped portion of map)*, a settlement arranged jointly by Germany and Italy. But the bulk of little Ruthenia was retained by Czechoslovakia on Germany's insistence, much to the sorrow of Poland and Hungary who wanted a common border.

Smart Adolf Hitler has two reasons for demanding Ruthenia's autonomy. First, his economic policy has made Czechoslovakia a vassal state and at some future date Germany intends to march through that country into the Russian Ukraine and other parts of southeastern Europe. Should Hungary get Ruthenia and turn hostile to Germany, the march to the east would be blocked.

Second, Ruthenia has immense value as a nucleus for Nazi propagandizing in the Ukraine and neighboring Rumania.

Meanwhile Czechoslovakia is in no position to defend herself from the band of wolves barking around her entire frontier. Not only is she under Germany's thumb, but Slovakia and Ruthenia have now been granted autonomy which makes them largely independent of the central Prague government.

The result has been two unpublicized wars in which covetous Poland and Hungary have been interesting themselves under the explanation of "police action." The first centers in Ruthenia's Carpathian mountains, where Hungary has won a substantial portion of the natives to her cause. In the ensuing civil war between pro-Czech and pro-Hungarian Ruthenians, Polish and Hungarian border troops have intervened.

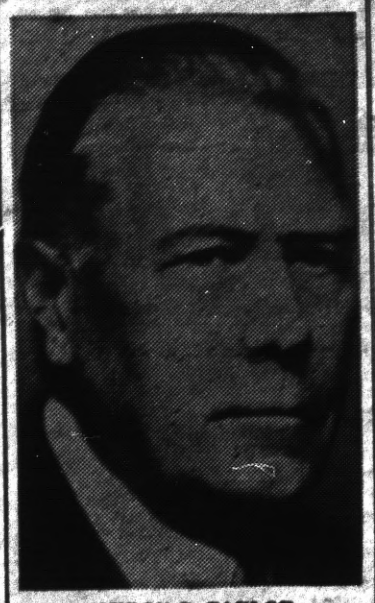
The other war is centered along Slovakia's Polish frontier, where Czech and Polish border troops have been fighting. Though none of the three concerned governments has spoken officially, it is quite obvious that Poland has agreed to help Hungary capture Ruthenia if Hungary will help Poland grab the rest of Slovakia. This would leave Czechoslovakia with nothing but western Bohemia and Moravia, located entirely within Germany's "mouth." It is doubtful that Germany would tolerate this threat to her proposed eastward expansion, but her opposition might aid the cause of anti-Nazi forces by arousing the ire of both Hungary and Poland.

International

By persecuting Jews and subduing Christianity in favor of Nazi ideology, Germany tells the world that a triumphant political philosophy is worth more to her than the world's good will. What Germany apparently fails to realize is that the resultant international resentment will ruin the Reich's export trade, thereby creating internal economic chaos. This pressure is already felt in Sudetenland and Austria, the recently annexed territories whose manufactured items must now bear the mark, "Made in Germany." Both areas find world anti-Nazi sentiment a serious threat to their once flourishing export business.

Meanwhile international plans to help German Jews are meeting inevitable opposition. Since most countries already have unemployment problems, few are willing to increase this burden by accepting new immigrants. They also realize that Jews are predominantly tradesmen and therefore fear their established business men would suffer from this new competition.

In the U. S., President Roosevelt has granted a six-month extension to German visitors rather than return them to the hostile Reich. He plans to ask congress for liberalized immigration laws which would permit the entry of more persecuted



MYRON C. TAYLOR
Plenty of money, but little land.

Jews, though congressional leaders like Sen. William E. Borah promise to oppose the plan.

The U. S. and Great Britain are meanwhile taking a lead in consummation of the Jewish solution first proposed by Joseph P. Kennedy, U. S. ambassador to London. While Great Britain is surveying her colonies to find new homes for Jews, the state department has commissioned Myron C. Taylor, chairman of the intergovernmental refugees committee, to represent the U. S. in this work. American Jews are voluntarily digging up 100 million dollars to finance the project if England can provide land for resettlement purposes. The most likely spot is British Guiana, in South America, where Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain hopes to set aside 10,000 square miles.

But Germany is not co-operative. Although George Rublee, director of the international committee, has offered to discuss the Jew question with Berlin, he has received no definite reply. Preferring to ignore the U. S. and Great Britain, Germany is reported negotiating with several South American countries to find a Jewish haven. Regardless of who manages the exodus of these 700,000 unwanted Hebrews, they will find no refuge in Mexico's Lower California or Palestine.

Domestic

Under Secretary of State Cordell Hull, the U. S. has consummated 20 reciprocal trade agreements (including two with Canada) as authorized by the trade agreements act of 1934. Carried on aggressively, Mr. Hull's program now covers

DOES EUROPE'S FATE LIE IN RUTHENIA? (SEE FOREIGN)
Poland is helping Hungary capture Ruthenia, in return for which Hungary is reportedly helping Poland capture the balance of Slovakia (Czech area above dashed section, which represents land just ceded to Hungary). The deal may bring a serious breach with Germany, blocking the Reich's southeastward expansion.

three-fifths of all American exports and imports. Behind the treaties is the "most-favored-nation" principle, under which contracting nations agree to nondiscriminatory treatment in the fixing of quotas. In each treaty, both signatory nations pledge not to impose internal taxes on imported articles higher than those imposed on similar articles of domestic or other origin.

Keystone and climax to this program is the reciprocal trade treaty just signed with Great Britain, including the dovetailing second treaty with Canada. Since a unilateral principle applies to Mr. Hull's treaties, the benefits of this U. S.-British agreement are now open to all other nations with which the U. S. has commercial treaties. Principal non-participants are Europe's dictator nations. The eventual aim of idealistic Mr. Hull is abandonment of international trade barriers and the idea of artificial self-sufficiency, and a more stabilized world currency.

Chief arguments against the Anglo-American pact come from business interests who claim their domestic sales are injured by British competition. Arguments in favor of the treaty will maintain that while British competition is increased on some domestically-manufactured items, a great many more items can now be exported to the United Kingdom, since most duty payments have been slashed.

The state department expects U. S. agriculture will derive important benefits from the United Kingdom treaty, which grants concessions on many farm products. All duties on American wheat are removed, while on other items the duty is substantially reduced. But the new treaty with Canada fails to remedy many objections which featured the previous agreement with that dominion, since important concessions are still granted on livestock, cheese, eggs and many grains.

War

"Any attempt to apply to the conditions of today and tomorrow the inapplicable ideas and principles of the past neither would contribute to establishment of real peace in east Asia nor solve the immediate issues."

With the above statement, Japan has rejected a United States protest claiming invasion of American rights in China. The answer denies every charge made by the United States concerning Japanese violation of the "open door" to China and asks Washington to take into consideration the "new situation in east Asia."

Although Japan courts maintain that a contract is invalidated by changing circumstances, the United States cannot agree that a strictly Japanese legal tenet should be applied to international law. The answer makes no mention of the 1922 nine-power pact guaranteeing China's territorial integrity, but under Japan's new "changing conditions" philosophy it would seem that all previous international commitments have been thrown overboard. Consequently there appears to be no American recourse other than to accept Japan's domination of China.

While this battle of diplomacy rages, courageous China is making a desperate last-ditch stand west of Hankow. Current Jap operations are directed at cutting Chinese supply connections with Siberia and Indo-China, a campaign which relies chiefly on bombing. Yangtze river traffic between Shanghai and Nanking has been closed to foreigners under the guise of protection against Chinese guerrilla warfare. Actually, observers believe, the Japs want to keep Yangtze traffic exclusively for themselves.

Defense

How Secretary of War Harry Woodring stands on President Roosevelt's huge rearmament plan may remain a secret from the numerous U. S. peace organizations now fighting against increased military and naval expenditures. But since Washington gossip says that Secretary Woodring is soon to resign, his opinion matters not nearly so much as that of Assistant Secretary Louis Johnson, who will probably succeed him.

To combat the combined perils of Japan, Italy and Germany, President Roosevelt proposes to throw a defensive ring around the entire Western Hemisphere, a plan which entails immense increases in U. S. naval and army expenditures. Mr. Johnson, acting directly on army matters, has spoken for a total air force of 9,280 fighting planes. (The army's present goal is 2,320 by mid-1940.)

Mr. Johnson also urges weapons and supplies to equip an army of 1,000,000 men for six months, a program he estimates would cost around $440,000,000. All branches of the army would be modernized, reserves would be trained and 245 industrial plants would be given instructions preparatory to emergency manufacture of war materials.

White House

U. S. business trends have long been influenced both favorably and unfavorably by well-meant moves by the federal administration. In 1936 the $2,000,000,000 bonus established an immense credit reservoir which resulted in a false economic picture that boosted inventories far higher than they should have been. In April of 1937, President Roosevelt cautioned against needless speculation and business lost confidence. A slump resulted, which is now being dissipated partly by consumer demand and partly by an outpouring of U. S. "pump priming funds."

If large federal expenditures and White House cautions could be issued at the right times, Mr. Roosevelt believes business' zooming and plummeting could be leveled off into a more stable economic picture. But such steps on the part of government, to be efficient, require study and an adequate supply of precedents on which to base future moves.

The result is appointment of a four-man advisory board to study fiscal and monetary problems as they relate to national production and income. Advisers: Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau Jr., Marriner S. Eccles, chairman of the federal reserve board; Director of the Budget Daniel W. Bell, and Frederic A. Delano, chairman of the national resources committee. Not to be heard from for some time, the board will nevertheless be active in shaping next year's budget. By suggesting the correct timing and channels into which "pump priming" funds can be directed, the group can do a constructive piece of work. It has been pointed out that only $856,000,000 of the $5,000,000,000 lend-spend fund has been allocated.

Closely correlated is a second U. S. investigation to provide for greater control of expenditures and elimination of costly overlapping governmental functions.

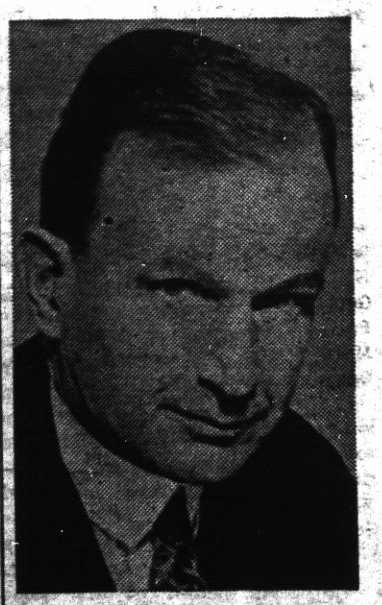
Transportation

When President Roosevelt's railroad fact-finding committee refused carriers' request for a 15 per cent wage reduction, it became apparent that congress must find some solution to the nation's perplexing transportation problem. Not only are railroads now handicapped by duplicating lines and truck competition, but their expenses are being boosted $70,000,000 this year by the railroad retirement act of 1937.

Most suggested remedial legislation calls for (1) government subsidies under the guise of national defense, and (2) government loans to help railroads modernize equipment and extend their lines. Bills along these lines will probably be introduced by Montana's Sen. Burton K. Wheeler, chairman of the senate's committee on interstate commerce and the railroad finance committee. Mr. Wheeler's two proposed laws would:

1. Empower railroads, even if they are in the process of reorganization, to obtain government loans by creating obligations prior to those now in existence.

2. Establish standards for financial reorganization, including provisions to "expedite the procedure" in these cases.



SENATOR WHEELER
A remedy, but is it a cure?

The second bill's purpose, Mr. Wheeler points out, is to permit reorganization without "strait-jacketing" the railroad and depriving existing bondholders of their just share in company earnings. This will probably win popular favor, but railroad executives are not likely to look upon new government loans as a cure for their ailment. At best, borrowing will only provide a temporary cure, piling up additional obligations without attempting to solve basic transportation problems.

Trend

How the Wind Is Blowing

WORLD WORRIES—The U. S. public health service predicts one out of every 20 babies born this year will be committed to a mental hospital at some time during its life, after surveying the increasing population of such institutions.

1938 MODEL TURKEY—U. S. experimental farms have developed a new small size turkey with shorter legs, a broader back and plumper body to meet requirements of small families.

TROUBLE ON WHEELS—Since U. S. automobile traffic will be doubled by 1960, officials predict the nation must build 1,000 miles of multiple-lane highways a year during the next 22 years.

DOPE UPSET—In 1938, only two of every 10,000 Americans use narcotics, compared with one out of every 1,000 in 1924.

Happenings in Point Richmond

Brief Items of Interest to Residents of the Original City of Richmond

By KATHERINE McCRACKEN

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INSTALLMENT CEREMONY OF EASTERN STAR

Point Chapter Order of the Eastern Star staged the most brilliant and interesting installment ceremony for many years Thursday evening when the 1939 Grand Deputy Matron, Rose Dingle installed the incoming officers of her home Chapter into their stations. That the Grand Chapter made a wise selection of its representative in the 29th District was realized by the vast throng of members of the masonic order which filled the Temple to overflowing.

With dignity and grace Mrs. Dingle ivested the new officers with the badge of office and gave the customary admonishment in an impressive manner in a setting which will long be remembered by those who witnessed the ceremony.

White gowns with red accessories was the ensemble chosen by the new matron, Mrs. Louise Wilson, who has won her way to the East by ability and efficiency, rather than popular demand.

And much can be said for the devotion and loyalty to Point Chapter, of the Allyns. Margaret Allyn a past matron, was installed as marshall for 1939, when her husband G. E. Allyn was inducted into the second important office of the Chapter, worthy patron of Point Chapter No. 394.

The installing Honorary Marshall of the inducting ceremony was Mrs. Jeanette Bottom, the 1938 Grand Electa, of whom her home Chapter may well be proud.

Those who took obligations were Worthy Matron, Louise Wilson; Worthy Patron, Gust E. Allyn; Associate Matron, Georgiana Westman; Associate Patron, Phillip Lee; Secretary, Mary Moyle; Treasurer, Trannie Dornan; Conductress, Helen Genzel; Associate Conductress, Mary willet; Chaplain, Jeanette Bottom; Marshal, Margaret Allyn Organist, Thankful Perault; Warder Winifred Palmateer; Sentinel, Charles Peterson.

The Star Points which is the basic theme of the Order were Adah, Eva Doney; Ruth, Ellen Penny, Esther, Beatrice Allwin; Martha, Elizabeth Smith; Electa Reba Meyers.

Vocal solos were a feature of the occasion sang by local celebrities. A rendition of The Lords Prayer, by W. J. Thompson, being especially beautiful and impressive.

Mrs. C. O. Bryant, a talented popular matron of the younger set will entertain the members of the Junior Club Mendelssohn, at a Christmas Party in Trinity Guild Hall Friday evening.

SIXTH GRADE TO BE ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Alexander McCook and Mrs. Theodore Hultberg, are making arrangements for an especially interesting meeting of the Washington School P. T. A. when the graduating class of the school will be the guests of the day. The meeting will be held on Tuesday December 13th, when all members and friends are invited to attend.

MRS. DUNLAP ENTERTAINS WOMEN'S CLUB

Mrs. Paul Dunlap, assisted by Mrs. Max Henry will entertain the Westside Improvement Club this afternoon at Mrs. Dunlap's home on Terrace Avenue. A dessert luncheon will be served by the hostesses at 1:30, and a business session held following the luncheon, and a Christmas Party will conclude the afternoon.

LADIES FORM ORGANIZATION

The Ladies of the local Catholic Church have formed an organization which held its first meeting last Monday afternoon last week. Mrs. Stephen Banks was elected first presiding officer, and Mrs. L. C. O'Connor, secretary. Mrs. Thomas Kenny was selected first treasurer. Future plans were made for the activities of the Order and a meeting is to be held in the parish house on the first Monday of each month at 1:30 p. m.

SAN PABLO HOME ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Clarence Harvey entertained the Sewing Club at her home on the San Pablo Highway. A luncheon was served by the hostess at noon last Tuesday and after a session of sewing the remainder of the afternoon was spent in games.

The next meeting of this group will be at the home of Mrs. S. G. Willis at her home on Sixth Street, December 13th, when the members will exchange Christmas Gifts.

The ladies of the Point Baptist Church will serve a public luncheon Wednesday December 7th at the Church parlors on Washington Avenue. There will also be a sale of fancy work in connection with the luncheon which will be served at popular prices.

Mrs. Iva D. Owens and her father who resides with her are both ill at their home on Nicholl Avenue. Although they have been in an Oakland hospital critically ill, they have been brought home and are improving somewhat.

PIONEER VISITS THE POINT

Claire Donnerwirth and Mrs. Ditterding entertained their father, John Donnerwirth, who now resides at Quincy, last week. He returned to his home a few days ago accompanied by his little granddaughter, Nancy.

REUNION ON THANKSGIVING

Mr. and Mrs. William Janke entertained a group of relatives over the holiday week end, at their home on Buena Vista Avenue. The guests were Mrs. Jack Temple of Santa Rosa, and two daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Comstock and young son of Mill Valley, and Mrs. Gertrude Bise of San Francisco, Mrs. Temple, Mrs. Comstock, Mrs. Biggs and Mrs. Janke, were former residents of the Point and were known as the popular and beautiful Lindsey sisters, being the daughter of the late Judge Lindsey.

POINT COTTAGE LEASED

The cottage at 302 Buena Vista Avenue has been leased by Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hibbard where they will make their future home. Mr. Hibbard is connected with the San Rafeal Ferry.

LOCAL MATRON QUITE ILL

Mrs. R. G. Lee, is suffering a severe attack of influenza and is confined to her home on Idaho Street. She is being attended by Dr. W. S. Lucas.

FIRST M. E. LADIES MEET

A meeting of the Ladies Aid of the local M. E. Church was held Friday in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Kelly on Nicholl Avenue. Mrs. Ethel Alexander presided at the regular meeting at the close of which tea was served to the members and guests.

Honesty and Politics

"Honesty," said Uncle Eben, "is de best policy, an' I's mo' den half expectin' to see de day when it's also considered de bes' politics."

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Grass Has Fragrant Roots

Khuskhus is a synonym for vetiver, an East Indian grass cultivated in the tropics and in Louisiana for its fragrant roots which are used in making mats and screens and which yield an essential oil useful in perfumery.

The Street Called Straight

The street called Straight, in Damascus, is but half a mile in length. Here may be seen the site of the house of Judas, where the light of Christianity dawned upon Saul, later to become the great St. Paul. A mosque covers the site.

THIS CHRISTMAS score with gifts that have the winning combination of being attractive, usable, modern—that express thoughtful remembrance now and for years to come.

Make this an electrical Christmas. Electric appliances are suitable for any member of the family, for all the family, or for friends young and old. This year, more and more electrical gifts will be chosen by all who want to give endearing gifts that will endure.

Visit your dealer's store. See the special electric appliance displays he has set up for your gift hunting convenience. Make this Christmas an electrical Christmas and score as the perfect Santa Claus. Electrical Gifts always win warm approval. Come in and select yours today.

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Say Merry Christmas with a radio that has those tricky automatic tuning devices. It's sure to be appreciated.

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Score with a gift of a grand Electric Roaster, a Casserole or a smart Toaster Tray Set.

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Gift Lamps are distinctive gifts — always attractive and useful. Large selection to choose from.

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Table Appliances always win approval—A Waffle Iron, Automatic Toaster, Coffee Set or a Buffet Supper Server.

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Always Timely would be a gift of a smartly modern Electric Clock.

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Coming Winter Focuses Attention on Queer Air Current

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—WNU Service.

Voyaging southward from New York toward tropic waters on a midwinter day, you gaze out over a leaden sea of dull-green color, lashed by the stiff, chilling wind. But the next morning you awaken to a balmy air and go on deck to behold the ocean miraculously changed to ultramarine blue, the dark swelling waves crowned with snowy foam which churns up in the wake of the vessel in turquoise turmoil before reaching the surface.

Petrels follow the ship, skipping from wave to wave. Toward afternoon a school of porpoises glides in and out of the sea in never-ending chase,

Ichthyologists hail with delight the capture of this inch and a quarter sailfish, smallest ever recorded. Caught in a net at the Miami City yacht basin, it proves that sailfish spawn in the tropical waters around Miami, according to fish authorities. The spawning place of the deep sea fighters has long been a matter of guesswork.

while flying fishes, glinting in blue and silver, dart anxiously from the water and sail long distances, flicking the wave crests with their tails to gain momentum.

You are in the Gulf stream, that marvelous river in the ocean, which gives the North Atlantic its unique character and profoundly affects its temperature even as far as the North sea, bestowing upon the British isles and Scandinavia the inestimable boon of a chastened climate. We can imagine the surprise of Ponce de Leon when, sailing along the coast of Florida in 1513, he found his ship borne irresistibly northward in its current.

The Gulf stream exerts an influence on the spread and distribution of the marine life of the Atlantic which cannot be over-estimated.

Haven of Marine Life

The main current warms the whole North Atlantic, and spurs setting in toward the coast have a striking effect on the distribution of floating life off the Middle Atlantic states and southern New England. Here, however, the warm stream is separated from the shore by colder waters forming what is known as the "cold wall." South of the Grand banks of Newfoundland it meets the icy Labrador current which flows down from the north, bringing a northern fauna and making its influence felt along the shore, particularly north of Cape Cod.

The Gulf stream, on the other hand, extends the range of many West Indian and other tropical species far to the northward during the summer, some of them being borne to the British isles, so that the pelagic life of the mid-Atlantic is more tropical in character than that of the same latitude on the North American coast.

Sail out across the Gulf stream in a southeasterly direction, keeping your eyes open for evidences of its floating life. Suddenly you see a graceful, translucent object, like an oddly elongated bladder, floating on the surface.

As you come nearer you see still others, and soon you realize that you are steering into the midst of a fleet of these fairy craft. Each one erects a crest resembling a succession of iridescent, foamlike bubbles along its summit, bordered with an edging of deep crimson.

These are the Portuguese man-of-war (physalia pelagica), an organism related to the hydroids and jellyfish, but consisting of a whole colony of connected individuals floating as a unit.

At first glance only one member of the colony is visible. But, as you look downward through the transparent water, you see masses of smaller-tube-shaped projections depending from its lower side just beneath the surface.

Looking deeper, you finally perceive, extending far into the depths, a whole series of cordlike filaments, spirally adorned with close-set beads similar to those on the shorter strings, but larger. These slender cables are continually extending and contracting independently of each other, thickened knots passing each other up and down on neighboring strands like elevators.

Constant Movement

A sudden breeze ruffles the water surface. The floats change shape, twisting in such a way as to "trim sail." The long, submerged cables, being attached to only one side of the bladder, act as a drag anchor, enabling the craft to head up into the wind and thus counteract a too rapid leeway.

On board the boat you have a tall glass jar. Reaching over the side, as the vessel drifts with the current, you pick up a fine example of physalia, being careful to lift it by the float and thus avoid contact with any of the bead-adorned streamers. This caution is essential, for every bead is a battery of powerful sting cells loaded with minute barbed threads, thousands of which, at the slightest touch, will penetrate the skin and inject an irritating poison.

Once while wading near Ponce, on the south shore of Puerto Rico, a scientist attempted to lift one of these creatures into a pail of water. The trade winds were blowing strongly, and, as the streamers came clear of the surface, the wind caught them and blew them around the bare arm with which he held the pail. Immediately a pain as of living fire shot through it.

He quickly dropped the physalia into the pail and began to unwind the clinging streamers with his free hand. When he had finished, each finger pained like a toothache. The arm was fiery red and swollen to the elbow, and his armpit ached where the poison had spread to the lymphatic glands.

Here is the beautiful but dangerous whip ray, a denisen of tropical Atlantic waters.

He did not sleep that night, and the pain passed away slowly during the next day. Fortunately he was not seriously affected, but some people, more susceptible, have been known to collapse.

Live in Colonies

The cluster of individuals immediately under the float is of several kinds, each having a special function. The blue, tube-shaped members are feeding polyps, with mouth openings at their lower extremity. They do the feeding and digesting for the entire community. The green, tapering fingers are feelers and tasters, very sensitive. The finely divided pink clusters, reproductive in function, develop the sex cells. Male and female cells are found only in separate colonies.

The streamers, of course, are fighting polyps, the longer ones, as above stated, having a stabilizing function as well. Fishes or other organisms that chance to swim against the streamers are immediately stung to death and drawn up by the contracting filaments to come in contact with the mouths of the feeding polyps, which suck out the victims' body fluid, digest the food, and pass the excess on to the mouthless members of the colony.

A species of small fish, the Portuguese man-of-war fish, appears to be immune to the sting, and seeks shelter among the tentacles from its enemies. In return, it perhaps acts as a lure for larger fish preyed upon by its host, and doubtless nibbles at the feast!

American Turkey Has Foreign Name

You'll eat your turkey and like it this Christmas, but do you know where this festive bird got its name?

The turkey is the only species of poultry native to this country. Its name is attributed by some to its call notes, "turk-turk-turk"; others believe that its head ornaments, resembling the fez worn by natives of Turkey, gave rise to its name.

Another explanation is seen in the fact that the first turkeys from America were sold in Spain, largely by Hebrew merchants. Since the bird was frequently confused with the peacock, it is said that the Hebrew traders called it "tukki," their name for the peacock. With the widespread use of this name in English, it easily became the present "turkey."

Iris Grown on Roofs

The Japanese roof iris. Iris tectorum, is a popular plant in China as well as in Japan. It was first sent to Europe late in the Nineteenth century and found a host of friends, attracted by its grace and charm. The name refers to the fact that in the Orient it often is grown on thatched roofs of native cottages.

Reddy Fox by Thornton W. Burgess

REDDY FOX GROWS SUSPICIOUS

EVERY day Danny Meadow Mouse bade Nanny Meadow Mouse good-by and left her alone in their beautiful new home in the pile of old corn stalks on the edge of Farmer Brown's cornfield. Then, taking the greatest care that no one should see him, he scampered along his secret roundabout path to his old home over in the Green Meadows and went about his usual business there just as if he really lived there. He did this so that his friends, and his enemies, too, would think that he really did live there just as he always had and so would not go looking for him and perhaps discover that dear new home. It was all a part of his plan to keep that new home an absolute secret.

For a while Danny was very successful. But there was one thing that Danny couldn't keep a secret no matter how hard he tried, and that was the fact that he was happier than he ever had been in all his life. You know happiness cannot be hidden. It is like a bright light—it will shine out. It wasn't long before Danny's old friends and neighbors began to talk about it when Danny wasn't around.

"What has got into Danny? He always was a happy little fellow, but now he is so happy that the other day I heard him actually trying to sing. Fancy Danny Meadow Mouse trying to sing," said Peter Rabbit.

"If there was anybody around here for him to be in love with I should say that he is in love," grunted Old Mr. Toad.

Now there was someone else who had noticed how happy Danny was and this was Reddy Fox. You know Reddy keeps a very close watch on Danny and where he goes and what he does, for Reddy long ago made up his mind that just as sure as winds blow and rain falls some day he would catch Danny Meadow Mouse. And because he had failed so often he had learned that he must know all about Danny's affairs in order to surprise him. So every day he visited Danny's old home and hid where he could watch and hear. Of course, Danny knew just where Reddy was hiding. He had to so that he wouldn't be caught. So the first thing every morning he made it his business to make sure if Reddy was about and, if he was, just where he was.

Now Reddy Fox, you know, is very smart and clever. Of course, he noticed how very happy Danny was these days, and it set him to thinking. He began to grow suspicious. The more he watched and listened and thought the more suspicious he grew. He remembered how he had surprised Danny and Nanny in another part of the Green Meadows where Nanny's old home was. He noticed that though he found Danny at his old home every morning he never saw or heard anything of him in the afternoons. At

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first he had supposed that Danny was taking an afternoon nap, but as his suspicions grew he made up his mind that Danny went somewhere else to spend his afternoons.

"Of course, he is with that other Meadow Mouse!" said Reddy, with a wicked sparkle in his eyes, and straightway he began to spend his afternoons hunting around Nanny's old home where he had surprised Nanny and Danny that never-to-be-forgotten day. But though he hunted and hunted and found ever so many private little paths which he knew had been made by a Meadow Mouse, never once did he get a glimpse of Danny or Nanny, for the very good reason, as you and I know, that they were not there.

And all the time Danny knew just what Reddy was doing, and he and Nanny would laugh and laugh as they thought how splendidly they had fooled him and everybody else.

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Know Thyself

By Dr. George D. Greer

WHAT CAUSES CHILDREN TO BECOME "MALADJUSTED"?

"THE maladjusted child is primarily a misunderstood child," says Dr. F. L. Patry, psychiatrist of the New York State Education department. Every child must feel that he is successful in something, and reasonably respected by his fellows. He likes praise for his efforts according to his abilities. The maladjusted child is just a name for somebody's blundering—either the parents' or the teachers'. Such children have been denied a feeling of satisfaction that is due them and have been told that that they were stupid, no good, and idiots. No wonder they become maladjusted. Every child should receive as much praise for his good deeds and work as he receives blame and criticism for his bad ones. "All criticism and no praise makes Jack a maladjusted boy."

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Bible Facts

All book-lovers read the Bible for the beautiful, dignified English it contains, if for no deeper reason. Men who have made a very careful analysis of the Bible say that it contains 3,566,480 letters, 810,697 words, 31,175 verses, 1,189 chapters, and 66 books. The word "and" occurs no fewer than 46,627 times and the word "Lord" 1,583 times. Those who order their lives by the Bible could not choose a better set of practical instructions. The Book of Proverbs contains the sanest advice on behavior ever given to man. In the earlier books there are rules for eating and drinking, for sowing crops and the maintenance of bodily health. Historically, it is accurate; it contains a comprehensive list of the flora and fauna of Palestine and the surrounding countries, their merchandise and mineral products.

STATE FLORAL NOTABLES DEDICATE '39 SITE

Pictured above are prominent California floricultural leaders participating in the colorful ceremony at the dedication of the Floricultural Palace site on Treasure Island recently. Being constructed by the California State Commission, for the Golden Gate International Exposition, the attractive structure—over 250 feet in length—designed by Mark Daniels, will house over 30 theme flower shows.

Shown, left to right: Dr. George H. Hecke, Agricultural Administrator for the State Commission; Miss Kate O. Sessions, noted horticultural authority; John McLaren, "father of Golden Gate Park"; Mrs. Oakleigh Thorne, of New York and Santa Barbara, national leader in the Garden Club movement; Miss Alice Eastwood, famed Botanist of the California Academy of Science; Mrs. Luther Burbank, widow of California's own plant wizard; Miss Juneva Lanser, youngest Garden Club member in the State.

NEWS FROM TOWN HALL

Erika Mann, who risked German imprisonment to save the manuscript of Thomas Mann's celebrated work, "Joseph and his Brethren," and her brother Klaus Mann, will bring to the San Francisco Opera House, Dec. 8th, a first hand version of the Nazi regime.

The program is under Town Hall auspices for Christmas charity.

Soon after Hitler's seizure of absolute power in Germany, the versatile Erika Man produced a satirical revue, "Peppermill," which punched impudent holes in Nazi ideology. Hitler's answer was to revoke Fraulien Mann's German citizenship.

With her brother, Erika left Germany. Their famed father, Dr. Thomas Mann, was in Switzerland at the time of the Hoiler accension. And he had left in Germany the laboriously handwritten, single copy of his manuscript on "Joseph and His Brethren."

Disguised as a peasant, Erika slipped back into Germany, retrieved the manuscript and preserved it for publication as another contribution to literature of the writer who is called "the greatest living man of letters"

Since they became emigres, Erika and Klaus Mann spent most of their time in Europe —observing across the German border what was happening to their fatherland. It is these observations, made against a background of German culture, which they will bring to the Opera House in San Francisco in their debate, "To Fight or not to Fight?"

The Manns believe that the democracies aggressively must fight fascism—or be gobbled up fascism.

Erika and Klaus Mann will be joined in the December 8 program by another emigre, Lottie Goslar, dancing mime, and by a talented young American singer, Olive Ponitz. Lottie Goslar's "Dances from Life" were the sensation of the last New York season. Miss Ponitz is the dramatic soprano "find" of the San Francisco Opera Company.

DOWNWARD TREND IN GAS TAX DIVERSION

Ballots cast in three states at the recent elections rolled up emphatic majorities in favor of constitutional amendments forbidding diversion of gasoline tax and other motor vehicles revenues to non-highway purposes.

California, with the adoption of Proposition 3; and Michigan and New Hampshire with similar amendments, joined Colorado, Kansas, Minnesota, and Missouri, which had previously placed bans on diversion in heir state constitutions.

This display of anti-diversion sentiment continued a trend which definitely set in last year, it was pointed out in a report issued today by the California State Automobile Association.

For the first time in ten years the trend of diversion of motor vehicle revenues went down instead of up in 1937, nationwide figures showing the total amount of road funds misappropriated that year to have been $161,000,000 as compared with $170,000,000 in 1936.

"This is news of major importance to the motor car owners of the nation," the Association report continued. "Ever since the practice of diversion began on a wide scale a decade or more ago, the trend of road fund misappropriation had been steadily upward. Reversal of this trend represents a major victory in the long war against loading a disproportionate share of the tax burden on the shoulders of the motoring public.

"A strong deterrent to diversion has been the penalty clause of the Hayden-Cartwright Federal aid act, which already has been invoked in a number of cases. In some of hese instances, state were penalized for diversion by withholding from them a portion of their Federal-aid grants. In other instances, states made hasty restitution of diverted funds in order to avoid the penalty."

UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION NEWS

Unemployment compensation payments in virtually every community of California decreased during October over the amount paid out in September, Arthur A. Hall, manager of the Richmond office of the State Department of Employment announced today.

Mr. Hall said the decrease was due principally to the fact that the month of September saw the lowest number of claims for compensation filed during the year, 42,662. Claim payments commence five weeks after filing.

In Richmond, Hall said, a total of 2,390 checks were distributed during the month of October, representing funds in the sum of $25,658.40 in this area.

October payments bring the cumulative total to 40,580 checks since January 1, representing $02,730.92 in this area.

Throughout the state, 197,534 checks were paid out in October, amounting to $1,923,901.39. State totals of all checks up to October 31 were 1,971,094 payments in the sum of $18,840,409.75.

Most Legible Colors

Although most of the printing and writing of the world is done in black and white, this combination of "colors" is sixth in legibility among such combinations. The most legible colors are black words on yellow surfaces, declares a writer in Pearson's London Weekly. These are the easiest to see under ordinary illumination. Next in order comes green on white, red on white, blue on white, white on blue, and black on white.

Prohibited Steel for Bridges

Steel was prohibited in England for bridge construction as late as 187"

MAYOR ENDORSES CHRISTMAS SEALS

Mayor Ludewig today urged public support of the activities of the Contra Costa Health Association in its anti-tuberculosis fund drive through the purchase of Christmas Seals.

"The city goverment" Mayor Ludewig said, "is vitally interested in the work carried out by the Contra Costa Health Association. The Program of prevention,—through the work at the Thomas B. Swift Sunshine Preventorium among small children, the yearly examination of high school students, and the Lung clinics held every two weeks at Richmond, Martinez, and Pittsburg for citizens who are unable to pay for private physicians,—is a great factor in the promotion of public health.

I therefore urge the citizens of Richmond to lend every support to this great humanitarian endeavor, by paying for his Christmas Seals at once."

Weed of Old Ships Useful

No electric signs but ancient figureheads from the prows of ships hang before the offices of a famous London firm. The company specializes in breaking up old vessels, the figureheads from these having made its offices a familiar landmark for travelers. Because the wood of old ships is well seasoned and colored, it is in demand for many purposes. Some of the timbers which once sailed the seven seas end up as wine-coolers, others as garden furniture to be set among English daffodils.

Dogfish Rank as Ancients

Among the fishes, dogfish rank as ancients. They are closely related to the gars and sturgeon, both bottom feeders and scavengers. The male dogfish may be distinguished from the female by a black spot, edged with yellowish to bright orange, found on the side of the fish, near the tail fin. This spot is faint or absent on the female.

Pitcher Plant Drowns Victims

The greenish purple leaves of the pitcher plant forms a jar or trumpet, half filled with sweetish secretions in which to drown its victims. Curved hooks and sensitive hairs, lining the sides of the death house bend down easily to permit entrance but forbid an exit. In the golden pitcher of the Darlingtonia Californica found on the West coast is room enough and liquid enough to drown not only small birds but field mice as well.

The pitcher plants are members of the Sarracenia family and succeed well under cultivation. Jack-in-the-Pulpit is a member of the pitcher family.

Hounds Long Favored

There have been hounds in America since the time of the Spaniard, De Soto, when they often were used to hunt Indians instead of game. George Washington helped establish the breed by importing them from England. He was later given several French hounds. Their blood strains, too, helped make the present American foxhound.

"It's too soon for Santa Claus—you're only Grandpa!"

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Too Often He's Wrong

It is perhaps best to throw cold water on the young man who is out to set the world on fire.

Historians explain the men who make history, but the makers of it do not understand what they are doing.

When we bump into hard luck, let's not accuse the other fellow of shoving us.

It is easier to take medicine than it is to make up your mind to take it.

Wait, Mother—Ask Your Doctor First

Never give your children unknown "Bargain" remedies to take unless you ask your doctor.

A mother may save a few pennies giving her children unknown preparations. But a child's life is precious beyond pennies. So—*Ask your doctor* before you give *any* remedy you don't know all about.

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So She Shall

Mrs. Duff—You know, Herbert, you said that when we were married I should have all the servants I wanted.

Duff—Yes, my dear, one at a time.

NERVOUS?

Do you feel so nervous you want to scream? Are you cross and irritable? Do you scold those dearest to you?

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By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

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Money making ideas for Christmas.

Christmas sale is now in course of preparation. Could you publish some new ideas for toys in the paper soon?"

Unusually attractive toys may be made quickly and at little cost from cheap cotton stockings. This demure yellowish tan kitten with bright red or blue ribbon is made from a stocking leg. The secret of giving toys of this type character is in making the stuffing firm and tight. Cotton or small pieces of clean, soft rags may be used. Push the stuffing firmly in place with a blunt stick.

Complete directions for cutting and making the body are given here. For the tail, cut a piece 6 inches long and 2 inches wide. Stitch the lengthwise edges together, tapering toward the end, then turn right side out, stuff and sew firmly in place. It is easy to draw the face. Notice in the sketch how the eyelids curve, the shape of the mouth and how the whiskers slant.

Either wool yarn or mercerized cotton embroidery thread may be used—black or brown for the eyes and whiskers and red for the mouth.

NOTE: Are you ready for Christmas? Birthdays? And the next church bazaar? Do you turn time into money with things to sell? Mrs. Spears' Sewing Book 2

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"POOR TRUST IS DEAD—BAD PAY KILLED HIM"

This sign with picture of "doggie," gone where all "doggies" go, hanging on the wall of a small store in a little North Carolina town which was plenty years ago, was my first squint at the hint to pay cash. Some need a hint while others need a kick to make good their I. O. U's. The owner of that North Carolina store the kids called "OLD MAN CASH." What the grown-ups called him, I dunno.

It was said that he was a mind reader because he was always able to arrange to be at the spot where you had to look at that sign, and him, too, when you wanted credit. His cold stare and that sign caused stuttering of "the promise to pay tomorrow." It was told that some could not even utter the stutter when facing him and his sign.

In later years, after his retirement, speaking of his experience, he said, "There was a time when I was a Santa Claus and some folks seemed to think every day was December twenty-fifth, and no week had a pay day and no month, a first. It was then I decided to change my store habits and if possible the habits of some of my towns-people."

After thinking things over awhile, I made up my mind to advertise. I reasoned it out that a general alarm in the WEEKLY, the only paper in town, to tell about my store, the goods and the new policy of paying, would hit everybody and it would help me save shame-faces—some might feel sheepish while reading my advertisements and have a heart.

I got interested in advertising. I found other people, some of them my customers, read advertisements, so I helped it along the best I knew how. I put gingersnap words in my advertisements and some humor, and that's how the idea came for the POOR TRUST IS DEAD sign.

I also found that good-name goods had repeat sales and that started me concentrating on staples with the result that fussiness over what kind, no longer confused or irked. Dilly-dally selling efforts, wasting time and costing money passed out.

Customers bought baking powder, soda, flour, soap and other articles bearing identification marks. Kids called them pictures. Products put up in neat, convenient, honest weight and measured cartons, boxes, bottles and cans. What an improvement in business and the dispositions of the customers. I even improved with conditions so greatly changed for the better.

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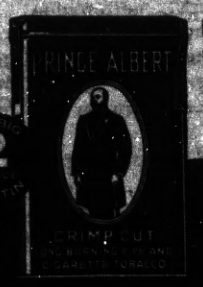

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All Snakes Do Not Dig Holes

Most snakes which go underground do not dig their own holes but make use of natural crevices and holes and burrows made by various animals and other creatures. There are at least four families of snakes in the United States which live a wholly or partially subterranean life. Those that excavate their own burrows are the blind snakes (typhlopidae), the ground snakes (glauconiidae), the coral snakes (ilysiidae), and the shield tails (uropeltidae). In these burrowing snakes the head, body and tail are somewhat cylindrical, a modification which adapts them to their peculiar mode of life.

Henna Is a Shrub

Henna is a shrub of the loosestrife family, native of tropical Asia. It has been cultivated as a dye plant in India, Arabia and Egypt since pre-historic times. The leaves yield the orange dye which is extensively used in coloring hair and leather. Women in the Orient stain their nails with this dye, the custom dating back some 4,000 years in Egypt as evidenced by mummies. The flowers of the henna are used in perfumery and embalming.

New Blind Man's Buff

The children of native Australia play a game resembling "blind man's buff." Initiating the movements of a stinging insect, the children run around making a buzzing noise, and the one doing the buzzing, without opening his eyes, endeavors to catch a playmate. If successful he buzzes loud in the ear of the captive and pinches him in imitation of a sting.

Many Hidden Taxes

In King Arthur's day, a knight slew a man-eating boar in Chetwode, England. As a perpetual reward, to this day, his heirs collect a tax on all cattle passing through the town from October 30 to November 7. America's meat taxes, according to the National Consumers Tax commission, equal this in absurdity. One hundred and twenty-seven hidden levies compel the housewife to pay for five chops to get four.

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WHAT to EAT and WHY

C. Houston Goudiss Describes Some of the Functions of Vitamin B_1—Reports Recent Discoveries of Its Relation to the Gastro-Intestinal Tract

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

PERHAPS no more dramatic chapter has ever been written in the history of nutritional science than the discovery of the chemical structure of the vitamin now known as B_1 and its artificial synthesis.

Inasmuch as a deficiency of this vitamin may have extremely far-reaching effects upon human health and happiness, it is important that every homemaker should learn something of its functions, its characteristics and its sources.

The Anti-Neuritic Substance

Vitamin B_1 is known to prevent and to cure a nerve disease called beriberi.

The disease was known in ancient times in the Orient. It occurred in other countries during the Nineteenth century. And even in the Twentieth century, some of the British troops stationed in Mesopotamia and the Dardanelles during the World war came down with the disease.

Even before this vitamin was identified, a European investigator was seeking to determine why a small portion of milk added to a diet containing protein, fats, carbohydrates and minerals successfully nourished individuals who did not enjoy good health when the milk was omitted.

Chemical Identification

Many investigators sought for years to fathom the secret of this mysterious substance.

After long research by many distinguished investigators, two Americans reached a milestone in the history of nutritional science when they discovered the chemical structure of vitamin B_1 and learned how to synthesize it.

A Regulator of Body Processes

In the course of their work with vitamin B_1, nutritional scientists have discovered many other important functions of this vitamin.

It has been determined that this substance is essential to growth and that it is also necessary to promote normal appetite. Laboratory experiments with animals revealed that when fed upon a diet lacking vitamin B_1, the animals lost their desire for food and refused to eat until the vitamin was restored to their diet.

There is also some evidence that vitamin B_1 is necessary for the maintenance of normal muscular tone of the large intestine.

Aids Gastro-Intestinal Tract

Chemical studies on 75 patients led one investigator to conclude that a continual slight shortage of vitamin B leads to definite changes in the motor and secretory mechanism of the gastro-intestinal tract.

There is also evidence that the vitamin B_1 requirement increases with the rate of growth and with increased energy expenditure.

For this reason, active working men and women should be amply supplied with this vitamin, and growing children should also have generous quantities.

Further investigations are now in progress and it is quite possible that many significant new facts will be unearthed in the near future.

In the meantime, there is enough evidence to warrant the belief that the absence of vitamin B_1 results in cellular alteration in the nervous system, intestine, pancreas, stomach, salivary glands, liver and other tissues.

The whole power of the body to resist infection appears to be decreased. This is especially true in the gastro-intestinal tract, probably owing to the action of the bacteria on its passage through the impaired alimentary tract.

Some Peculiarities of This Vitamin

Vitamin B_1 is soluble in water. For this reason, a large percentage of it may be lost if the water in which a food is soaked or cooked is discarded. Other ways in which this precious vitamin is lost are through refining cereals too highly, or when the natural acidity of a food is lowered by the addition of an alkali.

Preventing Vitamin B_1 Deficiency

It has been suggested that the health department of every village, town and city should not be content with protecting the local community against infectious diseases, but should be equally militant in endeavoring to safeguard its people against the dietary deficiency diseases which have been discovered through the recent advances in nutritional knowledge.

That is because many people who can easily afford the foods that furnish vitamin B_1 are consuming a diet deficient in this respect. This unfortunate situation may arise because they believe that their customary diet is adequate. Or, they conclude that appetite is a reliable guide to the meals that should be consumed.

Sources of Vitamin B_1

Investigation has established that foods yielding a good amount of vitamin B_1 include bran, milk, eggs, bananas, orange juice, carrots, spinach and cabbage.

One of America's outstanding nutritional scientists has stated that foods can be made to provide the necessary daily requirement of vitamin B_1 if half of the needed calories are taken in the form of fruits, vegetables, milk and eggs, and if at least half of the breads and cereals consumed are taken in the whole grain form. This suggests the advisability of adding some bran to muffins, waffles, and other quick breads when they are intended for the dietary of normal individuals. The same procedure can likewise be followed in serving hot or cold cereals.

Another distinguished authority holds that adequate amounts of vitamin B_1 can be furnished at a low cost if the homemaker will utilize larger quantities of the whole grain cereals and legumes. If the calories supplied by these foods are not desired—as when one is endeavoring to avoid gaining weight—vitamin B_1 may be obtained from suitable quantities of bran and the germ of the grain.

Foods That Help Promote Regularity

In addition to providing vitamin B_1, which helps to serve as a sort of intestinal tonic, bran and many fruits and vegetables help to add cellulose or bulk to the diet. Their fibrous framework is a great aid in promoting regular health habits.

Some foods are richer than others in cellulose or bulk. Good sources of this substance being notably bran, whole grain cereals, most raw fruits; dried fruits, such as prunes, figs and raisins; raw vegetables; such cooked vegetables as onions and leafy greens; and legumes, that is, dried beans and peas.

These foods, therefore, have a definite place in the diet of normal individuals. The homemaker should see to it that they are included regularly in her daily menus.

If that task is performed faithfully, it should help to develop a healthier and more vigorous race.

Questions Answered

Mrs. S. T. L.—Yes, you are correct. All kinds of flesh food furnish protein, and usually they also contain fat. The amount of fat, however, varies with the cut and with the kind of animal from which it was obtained. Many flesh foods have more fat than full cream.

Mrs. T. A.—If a year-old infant receives a quart of milk daily, he should obtain sufficient protein, calcium, phosphorus and vitamin A to meet his requirements. He will likewise receive substantial amounts of vitamins B and G, but he needs a supplementary source of vitamin C.

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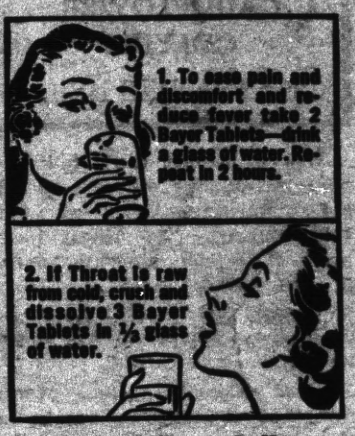

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NATIONAL GRANGE LEADERS APPROVE FARM PLANS FOR '39

Pictured above are nationally prominent leaders of the National Grange who recently visited Treasure Island with the California State Commission and expressed hearty approval of plans and progress for agricultural exhibits. Left to right: R. V. Garrod, Chairman, Committee on Agriculture, California State Commission; E. A. Eckert, Secretary, Executive Committee, National Grange; J. A. Boak, Master, Pennsylvania State Grange; C. H. Bramble, Master, Michigan State Grange; L. J. Taber, Master, National Grange; F. J. Freestone, Executive Committee, also Master, New York State Grange; R. P. Robinson, Treasurer, National Grange; James C. Farmer, former United States Senator from New Hampshire and lecturer for National Grange; Harry A. Caton, member Executive Committee, National Grange.

The CAULIFLOWER COLYUM

By FRANKIE NEIL

Well, you just can't tell 'Em here last Friday night in the so called Treasure City of San Francisco why the finest look-prospect for championship honors in the boxing game goes haywire and gets K. Oed when he could have defeated his opponent if he was careful.

Ward Fagenberg has everything that it takes to make a champion boxer, can punch fairly clever hit like a mule kicking and is smart, but just let his head run away with him for a second and it took him ten seconds to find out he was wrong and I doubt if he knows it yet.

You know it takes only one good punch to have them count ten over your prostrate body laying somewhere on the canvas of a ring, and only a second to deliver that punch, and why take a chance and run your beezer into one, which he did.

The Golden Gloves tournament was well within the grasp of both my proteges and one shoots it away and the other was un-lucky enough to get butted over the eye and the contest had to be stopped and awarded to the opponent of my charge, lots of luck Huh?

I surely expected to bring back to Contra Costa County the Golden Gloves Championship of one class anyway, and now it has to be brought back later at the next tournament in January, and will the said experience that the boys gained at the Golden Gloves displayed good judgement and in the second he starts off like the champion he had in the making and trys to mix with rough opponent and get a butt over the eye and that calls it quits for him, the referree takes a look at the gash and declares Luca's opponent the decision, a T. K. O. but Johnnie says that is not the end of it, he will surely make up for the loss, and let's hope he does, as he is a fine boy and knows what it is all about.

The Golden Gloves Tournament is some show, they have enough bouts to last weeks in our home town contests of six or seven, I think they had show be enough to make them stop, look, and listen for the next punch, if they do they will be smart and show some sense, but not to let the old head run away with them and use rash judgement like they did or rather him, Fagenberg, just to anxious for a K. O.

Here is another one, Johnnie Lucas, he just toyed with his first opponent and won the decision, and draws a bye for the last evening making it to contests for him, wins the first after a hectic struggle in which he around a hundred he first nite and about forty the second, will twenty the third and fifteen the last, and you see some show, don't those Amateurs go, slam, bang, lean long short boys, of all nationalities, even the Chinese have two very good boys in it. One PeterChinn and his brother Paul, and I am here to tell you they can do it, give, take, duck and dodge and smile with it all, fine boys, manly, clean cut chaps these two boys both Chinese, and here is hoping they go a long way, they deserve to get the breaks as they please the customers.

Now I may take one of the boys to the next Amateur tournament if I do he will be a much improved boxer, and know just what its all about, running into wild swings is foolish and when arms are flaying around wildly one is apt to meet one on his person somewhere and why not just move carefully and know where to put the punches.

Derivation of Word America

The word America is derived from the name of the Italian explorer, Amerigo Vespucci. It was first proposed by Waldseemuller, a teacher of geography in the college of St. Die, in the treatise called "Cosmographia," published in 1507.

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California Prepares for First Gas Execution

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Headliners in Lima Pan-American Parley

Alfred M. Landon, 1936 Republican presidential candidate, has been named as one of this country's representatives at the Pan-American conference in Lima, Peru. Appointment of the former Kansas governor by President Roosevelt was regarded by some students of political affairs as an example to nations who do not countenance two-party systems or presidential opposition. Dr. Carlos Concha, right, minister of foreign affairs of Peru, will be president of the eighth international conference of American states.

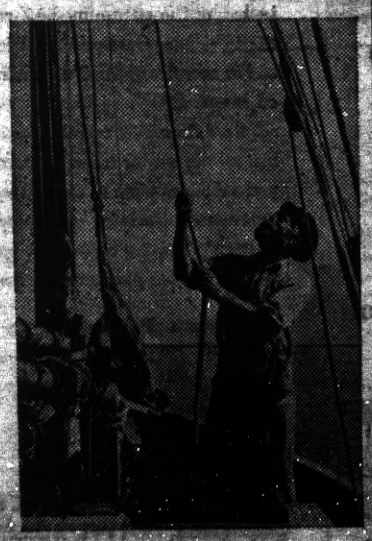
Start on World Tour in 35-Foot Ketch

Sherman Woodfall, 22 years old, (left) and his brother, Earle, 24, at the wheel of the Volita as they started from Rockport, Mass., on a 33,000-mile voyage around the world. The boys made their own 35-foot ketch, even making the bolts and nuts, melting and pouring the three-ton lead keel, and making the two masts from two 50-foot spruce trees they cut and hauled from Vermont. The boat cost them $3,500.

Great Britain Hastens Rearmament Program

Obtained by special permission of the war office, this remarkable photograph shows activities in a British shell inspection shop in an armaments factory. Britain is now embarked on a vast program of rearmament in the navy, army and royal air force. Sir Kingsley Wood, air minister, outlining the government's air defense program, told the house of commons that next year's air estimates will be increased to about $1,000,000,000, compared to about $600,000,000 in the present year.

SEA VOYAGE ENDS

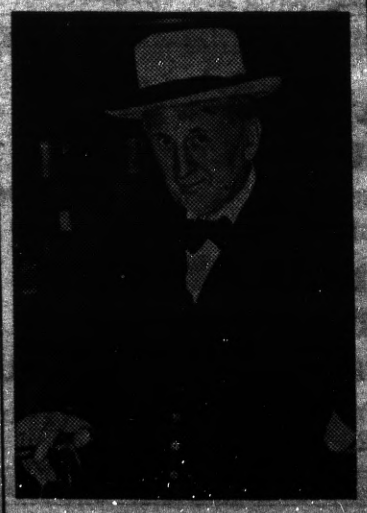


Frank E. Clark, 54-year-old English-American sailor, docks in Savannah, Ga., after a thrilling solo voyage from England in a second-hand 30-foot fishing boat. The voyage took three months, with Clark running through one hurricane.

American Diva Returns From Vienna

Jean Tennyson, soprano, termed "America's streamlined diva," shown with the famous tenor, John Charles Thomas, as she arrived in Chicago for an appearance in the Chicago City Opera company's presentation of "Tosca." Mr. Thomas is holding Miss Tennyson's Irish terrier.

HE SHARES HIS WEALTH



Declaring that the success of any business man is due chiefly to the work of his employees, John F. Webendorfer of Mount Vernon, N. Y., distributed $250,000 of the $1,000,000 he received from the sale of his machinery manufacturing business among his 115 employees.

WHISTLING CHAMPION

Arlene Lomas, four-year-old New York city miss, is the winner of a gold medal and the champion of the city's whistlers under eight years of age. She won the title at the city's first annual whistling contest sponsored by the department of parks.

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THE MAN AT THE KEYHOLE
By Operative 76

A year ago, just about this time, W. Fink Mitchell, Sacramento representative of Cavalier & Company, wrote a piece for the paper—a forecast of economic and political upheavals of 1938. It was depressing news and no one would print it. But every major item in Mr. Mitchell's forecast came true. More important is the fact that Mr. Mitchell now forecasts good times for 1939. This time, we hope he's right—and we're glad to print it!

The old feud between Los Angeles and San Francisco—for a time quite dormant—is red hot again. San Franciscans who backed proposition No. 1 on the November ballot (the labor initative) accuse Los Angeles of double-crossing the rest of the State and voting agin it, as Los Angeles already had adopted a similar law, a county ordinance. There's blood on the moon—and no fooling!

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF COUNTY TAXES, MARTINEZ, CALIFORNIA, COUNTY TAXES OF THE FISCAL YEAR 1938-1939.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned Tax Collector of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment books of said County of Contra Costa, and that in compliance with the provisions of Section 3746 of Political Code of the State of California, notice is hereby given that the assessment books for county taxes for the year 1938-1939, on all property within the County of Contra Costa, have been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment books will be due and payable on November 1st, 1938, this date being fixed by me, as Tax Collector of the County of Contra Costa, in accordance with Subdivision 3, Section 3746 of the Political Code, as amended, which states that: "The Tax Collector may fix a date in advance of the due date (November 1), when payments may be made, at my office in the Court House of said County of Contra Costa, State of California in the city of Martinez, Contra Costa County, State of California, (every day except legal holidays) during office hours, on and after November 1st, 1938, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said County of Contra Costa, will be due and payable on Tuesday, November 1st, 1938, at my office in the Court House of said Contra Costa County, situate at the corner of Main and Court Streets, in the City of Martinez, every day (not a legal holiday), during office hours, as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on Monday, December 5, 1938 at 5 o'clock P. M., of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, eight per cent will be added to the amount thereof and that if said one-half be not paid before Thursday, April 20, 1939, at 5 o'clock P. M., an additional three per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said County of Contra Costa, for the year 1938-1939 will be payable to the undersigned Tax Collector of said County of Contra Costa, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after Friday, January 20, 1939, and will be delinquent on Thursday, April 20, 1939, at 5 o'clock of said day and that unless paid prior thereto, three per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in compliance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, on and after Tuesday, November 1, 1938, all the taxes, whether first or second installment before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage, added thereto, as is above set forth, may be paid at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours, as aforesaid, on and after Tuesday, November 1, 1938, and upon such full payment being made full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in compliance with the law.

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M. A. MARCHESE, Plaintiff, vs. CONTRA COSTA COUNTY TITLE COMPANY, COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, and the CITY OF RICHMOND and also all persons unknown who have or claim any interest in or lien upon the real property herein described, Defendants.) No. 23129. Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and the Complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County. WM. R. JOHNSTON, Attorney for Plaintiff.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETING TO:

CONTRA COSTA COUNTY TITLE COMPANY, COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, and the CITY OF RICHMOND and also all persons unknown or who have or claim any interest in or lien upon the real property herein described, DEFENDANTS.

YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an action has been commenced against you in the above entitled Court by the above named plaintiff for the purpose of partitioning that certain real property, situate, lying and being in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, described as follows:

All of Lot numbered1 one (1) in Block numbered forty-two (42), as said Lot and Block are laid down, delineated upon that certain map entitled "Richmond Annex, County of Contra Costa, California 1912", and filed in the office of the County Recorder of said County of Contra Costa in Volume 302 at Page 158, on the 18th day of March, 1912.

And you are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint and action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, within ten days of the service on you of this summons, if served within this County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages in the complaint be arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Superior Court at the City of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 17th day of October, 1938.

S.C.WELLS, Clerk.
By L. R. GEYER, Deputy Clerk.
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GIFTS

Those who would impress others by the size and price of their gifts are indeed poor in heart and spirit.

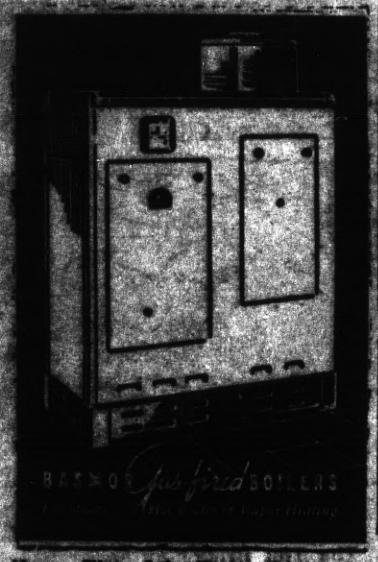
Size and price tags should have nothing in common with the giving of gifts. We bring to friends our offering in the form of gifts. Thoughtful, well chosen things, which will bring pleasure and joy to those we wish these things for. Certainly a gift well chosen no matter how simple far outshines the gift which was selected only so as to impress others, for unfortunately others instead of being impressed are only aware of several unpleasant truths about the giver.

Your Christmas letter of cheer and good wishes can also hold a "tuck-in." Such as your newest recipe, a packet of flower seeds, unusual place cards, bridge tallies, jelly labels and many other things.

If you create in your kitchen, dress up a jar of your favorite jelly with a sprinkling of little stars and wrap in cellophane. Or pack candy, cookies or marmalade in inexpensive small flower vases or bowls.

Utilize the hobby of your friends in wrapping their gifts. For instance if gardening is the hobby, use raffia or gay Mexican twine for wrapping the gift, the raffia and twine can later be used in the garden. Wrap a little girls gift in pieces of pretty cloth that she can use for making dolls clothes.

There are so many thoughtful and lovely things we can do at holiday time which will add to the joy and festive spirit of the occasion. But let your gift come from the heart and gladly.



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